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BRISTOL, PA., WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25, 1931

DAILY WEATHER REPORT  
Fair tonight, Thursday partly  
cloudy with not much change in  
temperature; fresh north winds.

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## QUEST FOR JURORS IN PROPHET CASE GOES FORWARD

Eight of the Talesmen  
Have Now Been  
Selected

### ROUTED FROM SLEEP

Interest in Schroeder Execu-  
tion Blamed; Many Dis-  
approve Executions

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—(INS)—  
The quest for twelve capable jurors to  
try Mrs. Clara Grace Prophet, mis-  
sionary worker and mother of three  
children, for the slaying of her hus-  
band, William F. Prophet, went for-  
ward again today.

After a day and a night session be-  
fore Judge Frank Smith in Quarter  
Sessions Court here eight of the tales-  
men had been selected. So difficult  
was the task, however, of finding an  
even dozen of the accused woman's  
fellow citizens who had not formed  
"fixed opinions" of her guilt or inno-  
cence, or who opposed capital punish-  
ment for women, that 128 persons were  
examined before the eight were ap-  
proved.

An extra panel of 625 names were  
selected during the night and deputy  
sheriffs armed with summonses call-  
ing them for jury duty routed 125  
sleeping Philadelphians from their  
beds and ordered them to report at  
City Hall this morning.

Mrs. Prophet and her brother, Har-  
old E. Williams, plotted and killed the  
woman's husband on November 22 last.  
Williams already has been convicted  
and sentenced to death. The Common-  
wealth contends Mrs. Prophet is  
equally guilty of the crime and will  
demand the death penalty.

Throughout the day and night this  
became increasingly evident as the  
prosecution asked prospective jurors  
if they had any qualms against the  
imposition of a death sentence for a  
woman.

The widespread interest in the elec-  
trocution of Irene Schroeder last Mon-  
day at Rockview prison, Bellefonte,  
Pa., was in evidence throughout the  
hours spent in trying to select the  
jury. More than 34 of those examined  
asserted they would not send a human  
being to the electric chair and were  
dismissed immediately. Fifty others  
had "fixed opinions" in the case.

Since she has been in prison, await-  
ing the ordeal, working to keep her  
mind busy, learning without emotion  
of the electric chair sentence imposed  
on her brother, who fired the actual  
shot which killed her husband, she has  
lost weight.

Thirty-four pounds have dropped  
from her once slightly fleshy frame,  
according to her attorneys, and the  
evidence of this was presented before  
a quiet, almost empty courtroom which  
greeted her with boring eyes.

She sat down to wait—for what, she  
could not apprehend. There was more  
than a pale face presented to the  
court. The flesh below the double chin  
has vanished; the mouth seems little,  
and tight and drawn; the neck is  
almost scrawny.

Her plum-colored coat with its black  
collar she dropped easily over the  
back of a chair at the counsel table;  
her gloves found their way soon to the  
table itself.

It was not until nearly two hours  
had passed that she thought to remove  
her tight-fitting hat. During the early  
hours of her trial she intermittently  
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### CARD PARTY

NEWPORTVILLE, Feb. 25.—A card  
party will be held tomorrow evening  
by the Newportville Fire Company,  
No. 1, at the fire station. Many val-  
uable prizes are to be awarded the  
winners. Free transportation will be  
furnished from Bath and Otter streets,  
Bristol, at 7:30 o'clock.

## THOMPSON WINS CHICAGO NOMINATION

By George C. Gallati  
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Mayor William  
Hale Thompson emerged from one of  
the bitterest primary contests in Chi-  
cago's history today with the Repub-  
lican nomination for a fourth term.  
Mayor Thompson's lead over his  
nearest opponent, Municipal Judge  
John H. Lyle, will exceed 70,000 votes  
when the remainder of 111 missing  
precincts are accounted for, election  
officials estimated. The official count  
early today showed the mayor 67,541  
votes ahead of the judge who cam-  
paign on an "anti-gangster" plat-  
form.

The bitter, personal character that  
the primary contest assumed in its  
later stages combined with ideal  
spring weather to draw a record vote  
of 900,000. This exceeded by 130,000  
the record vote cast in the primary  
two years ago when the voters staged  
one of the most far-reaching political  
revolts in the history of the state.

Despite sensational warnings that  
"Scarface Al" Capone would rally his  
gang forces to swing the election to  
his will the primary yesterday proved  
an example of orderliness. One bat-

The Newportville Boy Scouts, Troop  
No. 1, held their regular weekly meet-  
ing Tuesday evening in the Newport-  
ville fire station under the leadership  
of Herbert Brambley, Sr., and Arthur  
Barkley as assistant scoutmaster.  
Plans were made for the next Scout  
meeting to be held in Bristol in March  
in which the troop expects to take  
part.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foels enter-  
tained John Dolan of Philadelphia on  
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett and  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dixon and fam-  
ilies entertained on Sunday Miss Mil-  
dred Colwell, of Bridgewater; Howard  
Mileham, of West Oak Lane; Miss  
Helen Lear, of Willow Grove; and  
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Scheffler and  
daughter Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas  
Gerity, Frank Scheffler, Miss Hattie  
Scheffler, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hen-  
ry and Eric Scheffler, of Philadelphia.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lutz, of Mr.  
and Mrs. Joseph Wolf and daughter,  
of Philadelphia, were callers Thurs-  
day evening of their parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Jesse L. Keen.

## MRS. JANE H. SMIRL DIES AT EDGELY HOME

Deceased Succumbs to An Ill-  
ness Over Two Year  
Period

### WILLIAM B. PETERS DIES

An Edgely resident succumbed to  
an illness of two years' duration last  
evening, the deceased being Mrs. Jane  
H. Smirl, wife of the late William  
Smirl, aged 82 years.

Two years ago Mrs. Smirl sustained  
a broken hip, and since the time she  
was enabled to return to her home  
from a Bristol hospital, she had been  
confined to her room.

There are two sons surviving, Rus-  
sell T., of California, and William H.,  
of Edgely. Six grandchildren also  
survive.

With the exception of 12 years,  
which were spent in the western states,  
Mrs. Smirl resided in this vicinity.

Funeral service will be held on Fri-  
day at 2 p. m. from the residence of  
her son, Riverview avenue, Edgely.  
Burial will be made in Tullytown  
Cemetery under direction of the H. S.  
Rue Estate, undertakers. Friends may  
call Thursday evening.

William B. Peters died at the home  
of his brother-in-law, William E. Hen-  
drickson, 419 Jefferson avenue, yester-  
day, following an illness which had  
extended over a period of three weeks.  
The deceased was a native of Black-  
wood, N. J., and was in his 77th year.  
He had resided here for the past sev-  
eral years.

Three brothers, Charles, Edward and  
Harry are the only survivors.  
Funeral services will be held Friday  
afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Hen-  
drickson residence with the Rev. Paul  
R. Ronge officiating. Burial will be  
in the Bristol Cemetery.

## Miss Dorothy Evans Is Hostess to Her Friends

Miss Dorothy Evans, the daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Evans, of Monroe  
street, entertained a few friends on  
Saturday evening.

The evening was spent in dancing,  
and the playing of games. Refresh-  
ments were served to the following  
guests:

Elva Wilkinson, Marie Craven, Eliza-  
beth Sugalski, Lillian Holmes, Kath-  
ryn Evans, Mrs. Evans, Fritz Craven,  
Ray Smith, Stanley Sugalski and  
Maurice Wildman.

### CARS COLLIDE

The automobile of James Conca,  
Lafayette street, was damaged yester-  
day afternoon it was struck by a ma-  
chine operated by J. DeMarcus, Rail-  
road avenue. The DeMarcus car drove  
out onto the Highway near the Leib-  
freid lumberyard, South Bristol.

## YORKTOWN SESQUICENTENNIAL WILL PRECEDE COMMEMORATION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THE FIRST PRESIDENT

Affair Will Be Marked in October of 1931, Observing The  
150th Anniversary of Surrender of Lord Cornwallis  
At That Virginia City

One of the important celebrations  
which will precede the commemora-  
tion of the Two Hundredth Anniver-  
sary of George Washington's Birth in  
1932, will be the Yorktown Sesquicen-  
tennial, to be observed in October,  
1931, in honor of the 150th anniversary  
of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at  
Yorktown, Virginia. The sesquicen-  
tennial celebration of the British  
capitulation which virtually ended the  
Revolutionary War will be an auspici-  
ous event in its own right, but since  
the man who made the victory at  
Yorktown possible in 1781 is also the  
one whose birthday is being commemo-  
rated next year, the two celebrations  
are closely associated. The observance  
of the surrender of Cornwallis there-  
fore may be looked upon as a forerun-  
ner of the ten months nation-wide  
George Washington Bicentennial Cele-  
bration.

When the British troops, command-  
ed by Lord Cornwallis, marched out of  
Yorktown and laid down their arms  
after enduring a severe bombardment  
from the French and American bat-  
teries, the Revolutionary War was, to  
all intents and purposes, over. The  
American victory over Cornwallis was  
most decisive, and although there was  
some desultory fighting after the  
British capitulation, the Yorktown  
triumph really ended the war. This  
important event with its far reaching  
effects was the result of the foresight,  
courage and perseverance of George  
Washington, and to him more than any  
other man belongs the credit for the  
American triumph.

Representative S. O. Bland, of Vir-  
ginia, secretary of the United States  
Yorktown Sesquicentennial Commis-  
sion, said in a speech before the  
House of Representatives:  
"The crowning event of Washing-  
ton's military career was the victory  
which he won at Yorktown. It is  
proper that the commemoration of  
Washington's final military achieve-  
ment which established this Nation  
shall be of such proportions as to  
correspond with the celebrations  
which will commemorate his birth."

For this reason the Congress of the  
United States created a national com-  
mission to prepare a plan and program  
in commemoration of the siege at  
Yorktown, and the surrender of Lord  
Cornwallis. This commission consists  
of the following members:  
From the Senate, Claude A. Swann,  
Virginia, chairman; David A.  
Reed, of Pennsylvania; Hiram Blugh-  
am, of Connecticut; John G. Town-  
send, of Delaware, and Robert F. Wag-  
ner, of New York. From the House of  
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of Georgia, vice-chairman; Robert L.  
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Massachusetts; and Joseph W. Byrns,  
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The program as outlined by this  
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## Coming Events

February 26—  
Card party by Needlework Guild of  
America in Travel Club rooms.  
Card party by Needlework Guild of  
Edgely, Travel Club home, 2 p. m.  
Card party in Newportville Fire  
House.

February 28—  
Card party at the home of Mrs. Wil-  
liam Reynolds, 16 Grieb avenue,  
Edgely, benefit Headley Manor  
Fire Company.

Bake sale by Croydon Girl Scouts in  
Croydon M. E. Church basement.  
Pie and cake sale, at 11 o'clock,  
given by the choir of the Presby-  
terian Church, in primary room  
of church, Cedar street entrance.

March 2—  
Card party for charity conducted by  
No. 1 Fire Company in its fire  
station.

March 3—  
"The Zander-Gump Wedding" in  
First Baptist Church.

March 7—  
Faculty play, "The Family Upstairs,"  
presented at Bensalem Twp. high  
school.

Sour krait supper at Newportville  
Church, benefit of the church.  
Pie and cake sale at 204 Mill street,  
starting 11 a. m., by Ladies' Auxil-  
iary of No. 1 Fire Company.

March 14—  
Annual St. Patrick's supper at First  
Baptist Church.

Sour krait supper by combined Boy  
Scout Troops of Croydon in Scout  
home, Maryland avenue, Croydon.

March 16—  
Card party by Robert W. Bracken  
Post, American Legion, in post  
home.

March 16, 17—  
Annual play by St. Mark's Dramatic  
Society in St. Mark's school hall,  
benefit of the church.

March 20—  
Senior "prom" at Bensalem Town-  
ship High School.

Card party at Geiger home, Wash-  
ington avenue, Croydon.

March 26—  
Chicken and waffle supper at Bethel  
A. M. E. Church parsonage, 319 Wil-  
son street.

March 27 and 28—  
Bensalem Township school play,  
"Polly With A Past."

April 13—  
Card party by Ladies' Auxiliary of  
No. 2 Fire Company.

April 16 and 17—  
Comedy in St. Mark's auditorium for  
benefit of Harriman Hospital.

## Boy Scout Troop No. 1 Meets Tomorrow Night

Boy Scout Troop No. 1 will hold its  
regular weekly meeting tomorrow  
evening in the basement of the Bristol  
Presbyterian Church. The order of  
business will include the first steps in  
preparation for the spring games, so  
it is important that all members of  
the troop attend.

The troop has recently been rein-  
forced with several new members from  
another troop, and has made several  
changes in its officers. The present  
officers are: Scoutmaster, Mr. Allison;  
assistant Scoutmaster, Philip Felt; pa-  
trol leaders, Herbert Pettit and Wal-  
ter Hendricks; assistant patrol lead-  
ers, Kenneth Dyer and Leonard Her-  
man.

The troop has suffered a loss in the  
transfer of Eagle Scout "Jim" Hill to  
the Sea Scout troop, but will continue  
to take pride in "Jimmie's" record in  
the navy.

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Albert Cooper, Chief of Mor-  
risville Police, Held Posi-  
tion Seven Years

Albert Cooper, chief of police of  
Morrisville Borough, is celebrating his  
seventh anniversary as chief of police.  
When first appointed as head of the  
Morrisville Police Department, in 1924,  
Cooper was the youngest chief of po-  
lice in the State. He had just passed  
his 25th birthday. Prior to his selec-  
tion as chief, he served as a patrol-  
man for two years.

During his entire service of nine  
years on the police force, Chief Cooper  
has never been disciplined. He was  
commended on numerous occasions  
for his work and every two years,  
when he is recommended for another  
term, he is elected by acclamation.

With Morrisville on the main high-  
way between Philadelphia and New  
York and the increased motor traf-  
fic through that borough, the police work  
has greatly increased within the past  
few years. But Chief Cooper, with the  
aid of his men, has been able to handle  
all the work in an efficient manner.  
He has figured in many important ar-  
rests and his alertness has aided very  
materially in keeping down the num-  
ber of crimes.

Chief Cooper served for three years  
as Deputy Sheriff of Bucks County,  
under the late Sheriff Abram L. Kulp,  
who was murdered while in the line  
of duty. He also assisted in the or-  
ganization of the school patrol, which  
is under his supervision.

Bucks County authorities are in-  
vestigating the finding of the body of  
a baby girl yesterday morning on the  
old highway bridge at Jamney, a short  
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## CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tochtermann, of  
Wyoming avenue, are sporting a new  
Chevrolet sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter, of Cedar ave-  
nue, entertained friends from Philadel-  
phia Monday night.

Mrs. L. Morgan and Miss Wise were  
guests of Mrs. E. Scharg on Monday  
night.

Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Wilcox, of Third ave-  
nue; Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Frederick,  
of State Road, enjoyed the delicious lunch  
and social time at Christ Church par-  
ish house, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hutchinson,  
of New York avenue, are enjoying their  
new Ford sedan.

The Croydon Girl Scouts will hold a  
bake sale Saturday, February 28th, in  
the basement of the M. E. Church.  
Donations will be thankfully received.  
On the first Thursday evening in the  
month there will be test and Scout-  
work; second Thursday, exercises or  
"gym" night; third, test and Scout  
work; fourth Thursday, mothers' joy  
night.

J. Harris, of New York avenue, has  
been very ill for a long time, suffering  
from heart trouble.

## SELLERSVILLE HOTEL MAN FINED \$250 AND COSTS

Frederick W. Fargo, Washing-  
ton House, Guilty of Pos-  
session of Liquor

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 25.—Frederick  
W. Fargo, proprietor of the Washing-  
ton House, Sellersville, pleaded guilty  
in court yesterday and was sentenced  
to pay a fine of \$250 and costs by  
President Judge Hiram H. Keller for  
possessing intoxicating liquor.

State Police raided the hotel and  
seized three barrels of high-powered  
beer in the basement of the hotel. The  
beer was not attached to the coils.

Several well known residents of  
Sellersville, including an official of  
the county, testified that Fargo bore a  
very good reputation and so did his  
hotel.

Paul Kruger, former proprietor of  
the Railroad House, Doylestown, went  
on trial before Judge Keller on two  
charges of possessing intoxicating  
liquor at the Blue Anchor Inn, on the  
Doylestown and Newtown highway  
when it was raided by State Police on  
December 4, 1930, and January 9, 1931.

A motion to have the case continued  
because Kruger was not physically  
able to stand trial was refused by the  
Court after Judge Keller had person-  
ally talked with a Doylestown physi-  
cian who stated, after examining  
Kruger, that he was able to stand trial.

## Rigid Auto Check-Up Made by Langhorne Patrol

LANGHORNE, Feb. 25.—Members of  
the South Langhorne sub-station of  
the State Highway Patrol have been  
busy the past two months checking  
lights and brakes on all cars passing  
through this section.

Corporal J. T. Budhas, in charge of  
this station, announced today that  
2,500 cars had been stopped for brake  
inspection, and of these, 275 were  
corrected by the patrolmen, the rest or-  
dered to be corrected by an official  
garage. About 1,500 cars were stopped  
for lights, 225 corrected, and the re-  
maining ordered corrected by an of-  
ficial station.

Corporal Budhas said that brakes  
should be inspected every 2,000 miles,  
and lights at least once a month by  
motorists. This, he points out, would  
reduce accidents, especially at night  
times, as these accidents are caused by  
glaring lights and bad brakes. Accord-  
ing to figures compiled by Corporal  
Budhas, 25 per cent. of the accidents  
in this section are caused by bad  
brakes and lights.

The three breweries here, it was  
disclosed in answers to a question-  
naire sent out by a St. Louis firm, are  
in a position to turn out "real" beer  
within an hour after any modification  
measure should be approved by the  
national legislature.

No new machinery has been in-  
stalled at the local plants, as several  
breweries throughout the country have  
done, nor do they contemplate any ex-  
pansion.

At the Newell brewery, officials  
said the only change necessary to  
make the genuine amber product in-  
stead of near beer would be to stop  
the alcohol extraction after the beer  
is brewed.

The Daufery/Lieberman brewery is  
not in operation, but officials said ma-  
chinery is in place and intact, and  
operations can be resumed on a mo-  
ment's notice.

"The only 'catch' to it," said one  
brewery official, "is that while beer of  
a higher alcoholic content could be  
put out at once if the law were  
changed, it would require nine months  
before the product came up to the  
old time standard."

Officials of the three plants here de-

## CHICKEN THIEF GOES BACK TO EASTERN "PEN"

Sterling D. Johnson Severely  
Lectured by The  
Judge

HIS THIRD OFFENSE  
If He is Again Convicted Can  
Be Sentenced to Life  
Term

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 25.—Sterling  
D. "Chicken" Johnson, erstwhile  
Buckingham Valley dirt farmer, was  
returned to the Eastern State Peniten-  
tiary yesterday from whence he came.

If he comes back again and is con-  
victed of any crime the new Pennsylv-  
ania law provides that he must re-  
turn to prison for life, for it will be  
his fourth conviction.

Chicken stealing proved the down-  
fall again of this well-known charac-  
ter who terrified the farmers of Bucks  
county for some time until he was  
sentenced to four to eight years in the  
Eastern Penitentiary. He was paroled  
at the end of four years.

He must now return to serve out the  
balance of his original sentence,  
amounting to four years for breaking  
parole, and will then start to serve  
sentences that total not less than six



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## VIRGINIA'S DILEMMA

Virginia wants industrial growth but without the sacrifice of old Virginia and its traditions. Her people want the wealth and prosperity that follow industrialization, but want it without the cost of their cherished colonial atmosphere, quiet leisure and simplicity of living. They would eat their cake and have it too.

This is an ideal difficult to fulfill. Industry is interested primarily in profits, and where traditions conflict with profits traditions will suffer. Industrial growth is a juggernaut that crushes and obliterates all that stands in its way. Factories provide employment, boost wages, enhance real estate values, attract labor, promote business and concentrate trade. On the other side of the ledger are the smoke and noise they cause, social complications rising out of the introduction of new racial lines and multiplication of the classes, a changing community psychology, the submerging of the agrarian by the industrial.

No community has ever succeeded in separating the two as some Southern towns draw the color line with their segregated Jim-towns. When a town goes industrial the change is written all over its face. The new smoke stacks are but symbols of a new transformation.

So, if Virginia would preserve her sleepy, peaceful towns with their broad verandas and spacious grounds and squat architecture, let her not try to be both Yankee and Rebel.

## OBLITERATING CASES

In the eyes of some of our European friends the greatest contribution of the United States to the civilized world is the conquest of the material dignity of life. If for the greatest contribution we say one of the greatest contributions, this dictum might be accepted. It may turn out that greater than our contribution to a lift in the world's standard of living, based on increased production, will be our contribution to the democratic ideal, to the upbuilding outside of the United States of a social system free from caste.

It is not so easy to accept the finding that American mass production has created a new civilization through a new conception of production and business. In degree this may be true. In kind it is not. It is odd to have mass production dismissed today as an utterly novel phenomenon, to the slighting of the industrial revolution—steam and the factory system—which ushered in the modern world precisely by substituting mass production for handicraft. Henry Ford is a far less revolutionary factor than the iron and cotton masters of England who began large-scale operations 150 years ago.

What is not often kept in mind is that the mass production of the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries did a great deal for the conquest of the material dignity of life.

America's mass production may be new in degree. In kind it has happened before—in Europe.

Buying a steak these days reverses the usual culinary process. It is the customer who is well done.

## News of Adjacent Towns; Interesting Bits of Daily Fiction

## ANDALUSIA

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Entwistle were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feaster and family, of Richardson avenue.

Colonel States, who has been seriously sick at his home for the past few weeks, is slowly improving.

Miss Anna Scott entertained Miss Helen Keaton over the week-end.

Miss Elsie Smith, of Cornwells, spent the week-end with the Rev. and Mrs. T. N. Hyde, of Newtown, formerly Cornwells M. E. Church.

Mrs. Lange is very ill at her home on Cedar avenue.

Mrs. Howard Jones, of Bustleton, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Reed MacVeagh one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warton and sons William and Franklin had Sunday dinner with Mr. Warton's parents in Holmesburg.

Miss Anna Hansen has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mrs. Nora Dennis, of Bristol, spent Thursday with Mrs. Howard Dennis and family, of Cornwells.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thomas are now making their home with Mrs. Thomas's parents in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Elmer States recently celebrated her birthday anniversary when her friends gave her a surprise party in honor of the occasion. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and family, of Humesville; and Mr. and Mrs. George States and family.

Mrs. W. A. Beal was entertained on Thursday by friends at Willow Grove. Miss Margaret Egan, of Philadelphia, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Roger MacElwaine and family.

Mrs. Ray Entwistle and Miss Elsie Smith were the guests of Mrs. Charles

Johnson one day last week. They acted as judges in the candy making contests in which the members of the Emilie Ladies' Aid participated.

Miss Eleanor Davis had as her guest Charles Renard, of Atlantic City.

Miss Emilie Wildman is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.

Miss Margaret Page, of Ogontz Girls' School, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Page. Harold Ely has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. S. K. Bird and Mrs. Gente and family, of Beverly, N. J., spent Lincoln's birthday with Mrs. Charles Gilbert, of State road.

Mrs. J. B. D. Cook has been confined to her home for the past week with illness.

Miss Dorothy Lippincott, of Beaver College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin T. Lippincott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Hughes and friends, from Philadelphia, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hughes, of Cornwells Manor.

Jack Page, of Bordentown Military School, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Page.

Elmer Ely, of Philadelphia, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ely.

Mrs. S. K. Bird, of Beverly, N. J., is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gilbert.

Mrs. Osborne was the guest of Mrs. Caspar Barnes and Miss Edith Barnes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Knight, of Bustleton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Knight, of State road.

Mrs. Gyreth spent Saturday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Charles Hansen and son Edward, and Mrs. E. L. Thomas, Jr., spent Sunday in Bristol visiting Mrs.

Mae Bream and Mrs. Robert Murray, who is convalescing in Dr. Wagner's hospital.

Mrs. Charles Turner spent Thursday visiting her sister in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mulholland, of Lowell avenue, entertained friends from Harrington, Del.

Mrs. L. Skeens spent Thursday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sheppard, of Highland avenue, have returned to their home after spending several weeks in Mayfair.

Mrs. S. Hall, of Bristol Pike, entertained at luncheon on Thursday, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. J. Fairchild, Miss Lillian Hall. On Saturday Mrs. J. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. James Dyson, of Northwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Little spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fries.

Mrs. Emma Fries spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gotwels, of Bristol.

## WEST BRISTOL

Miss Nellie Watts visited Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bacon, in Crescentville, recently. The Bacon family formerly resided in West Bristol.

Volunteer fire companies of Bristol were called to assist in extinguishing a grass fire along Rogers Road, yesterday afternoon.

On the occasion of her 79th birthday anniversary last week, Mrs. Sarah Kinsley, of Columbus, N. J., was visited by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Valentine, of West Bristol. The affair was in the form of a surprise party, and Mrs. Kinsley's children, grandchildren and great grandchildren were present for the celebration.

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"MURDER AT EAGLE'S NEST"  
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Bhima Martin, called "Bim," young reporter, is anxious to aid his father's small-town newspaper. He rejects the marriage proposals of Walter Vance, Assistant Chief of Police. Walter asks Bim not to attend a party given by wealthy Emily Hardy, in honor of the decrepit Baron von Wiese and his haughty young wife. Ted Frost, town play-boy and husband of patient Mary Frost, is enamored of the Baroness. As the butler serves wine the Baroness stares at him. Their eyes meet and stunned, he drops a glass. Later, on a pretense, the Baroness goes to the dining room and is speaking with the butler, when her maid appears and screams. On the terrace, Jim sees the Baroness slip the butler a piece of paper. Bim leaves early, wondering about the mysterious happenings. Next morning Walter notifies her the Baroness has been murdered. A mysterious phone call summons Walter to Eagle's Nest where he found the Baroness' body in the Summer house. It appears that she was killed while keeping a tryst. Bim assists the police because of her knowledge of the case. She is shocked when she notices Mary Frost's shawl wrapped around the Baroness.

## CHAPTER VI.

SHERIFF REYNOLDS did not seem greatly surprised at Bim's shocked revelation. As time went on she was to learn that Mr. Reynolds never was surprised; that he handled matters in general and murder in particular on the basis that anything could happen and usually did.

Walter, however, took occasion to pat her shoulder again and again to whisper "Buck up!" as they left Coroner Sankey to make his examination while they inspected the grounds about the Summer house.

At first the inspection yielded little that seemed of importance. Apparently the Baroness and the man she came into the garden to meet had approached their rendezvous along the pebble path from the mansion, for there was no trace of tracks in that direction. Toward the rear, however, their efforts were more successful. Aicket of shrubs which screened the small building from the ground running on up the hill to a high stone wall showed signs of having been trampled; twigs were pressed back and broken and heavy strands of rambling roses vining over the south side of the building were pulled down.

## Tracking Clues.

From one of these thorny strands Walter detached a shred of white cloth which he handed to Bim after Reynolds had looked it over. She ran through her fingers a strip of heavy linen four or five inches long and about half as wide, jagged at the ends but with the sides torn clean as if it had been wrenched from a garment. It was heavy with starch and looked, she judged, like the material of which nurses' uniforms are made.

Up the hill beyond the thicket was a space where the ground had been seeded recently. Here they found footprints, but they were little more than holes in the soft, loose earth and offered no clue. It was Bim who followed the tracks to a long flower bed and there discovered the sharply defined prints of two sets of shoes—a woman's and a man's. Walter measured both sets and was writing in his little book when her call brought them to the other side of the flower bed.

She was holding to the light a scrap of glazed paper. Part of the centre had been torn away—

wrenched out as it in fury—and what remained bore the loam-stained mark of a heel repeated over and over as if the heel had ground down upon it in hatred. Across printed words on the paper something had been scrawled in pencil and they read together that portion of the message—for so it proved to be—which was left: "Must see you—cannot have forgotten—garden—dearest, dearest"

Reynolds folded the scrap and gave it to Walter, who slipped it between the pages of his little book. And Bim, siding her hand through his arm on the way back to the Summer house, managed to whisper, "The magazine page, Wally. She was sending someone a note."

He nodded, but she felt that he only half heard what she said.

## Dead at Midnight.

The Baroness, Dr. Sankey stated, had been dead about eight hours. That would set the time of the killing somewhere near midnight. The bullet, Dr. Sankey continued, relishing the importance of the occasion, had entered below the left shoulder and pierced the heart. Certainly, the woman had been standing at the time of the shooting; death would have been practically instantaneous.

Once again the sheet was spread above the form which lay so quietly in the Summer house and the door was locked. The body would not be removed until after the arrival of a fingerprint expert who had been summoned from the city. Then, as Walter explained to Bim, there would be an inquest and only after this would the old Baron be permitted to bury his dead.

In the mansion they found Emily Hardy rushing about in a distracted manner, booming continuously and, Bim suspected, enjoying the excitement. "It's awful," Em bellowed. "It's dreadful, I've not slept a wink, I'll probably never sleep again. You ought to hear Hardy rave. When the papers get hold of it."

Walter introduced the Sheriff and said they would question the servants first. "I want them one at a time, Mr. Hardy! Have you a room we can use?"

Em conducted them to the library, rumbling as she led the way, and said they were to make themselves comfortable. "Since you're here we've got to make the best of it. Anybody want a highball?"

No one did, it appeared. Walter seated himself at a table with his little book spread before him and Em sat nearby, opposite the Sheriff. Emily, who was allowed to remain with them, to her vast delight, telephoned the gardener's cottage and a dwarfed, wiry little man with mild blue eyes presently appeared and said that his name was Terrance O'Toole and that he had been gardener at Eagle's Nest going on ten years, living with his wife, Maggie, in a cottage at the back of the estate.

Walter took up the examination: "Did you hear or see anything around here last night?"

The little man scratched his head, blinking at the light, and finally answered with a faint burr thickening his speech: "Meanin' around Eagle's Nest, was ye?"

"Yes," around the house or grounds.

"I dunno as I could say that, Mr. Vance, sor. The cottage do be a long ways off and they's always somethin' or other-r goin' on till I pay no attention to a bit of loud talk and such."

"You heard loud talk last night, Terrance?"

"Not as ye'd r-rightly call loud."

what with Maggie givin' me coffee for my supper and I went out on the stoop to catch myself a breath of air."

"What time was that?"

"Well, I, a ways toward midnight, Mr. Vance, sor. I sat a bit and the air was still-like so I heard-rd things down here—windows openin' and cars star-rin' and the like. And I heard someone say somethin' somewheres. A woman, it was."

"In the Summer house?"

"'Twas about that far-r. 'Twasn't loud, just kind of choked like. Was someone got lost in the shrubs and hur-rt her-self, I do be thinkin', for I heard-rd somethin' cr-rack and after that she yelled."

"Yelled? But you said it wasn't loud?"

"No sor, just kind of like she went to yell and didn't get it out."

"I see." Walter smiled at the mild blue eyes. "Did you hear what it was she went to yell, Terrance?"

"Yes sor. Says she, 'Ye've done enough to me.'"

"'You've done enough to me.' Was that all?"

"Yes sor, Mr. Vance."

"When you heard something crack—could it have been a shot?"

The little man blinked and worried a loam-stained thumb at his head. "I couldn't r-rightly say. 'T's one of me nice shrubs ruined."

"I'm sure you're right. Still and all now I think it the cr-rack was loud for a shrub. Sure, I'd not be sayin' it wasn't a shot, God help us."

Walter sent him away and the colored maids and the colored cook were brought in one after the other. They rolled their eyes and shudderingly denied any knowledge of what had gone on the night before. Nor did the maid, Imogene, prove much more helpful.

Imogene was a slender, dark-eyed young woman, very pert in her black and white, and there was a hint of coquetry in the little smile she flashed toward Reynolds and then toward the good looking young policeman.

"I went to my room about half past eleven," she stated in a self-possessed way. "And I guess I was asleep in ten minutes. I'd been minding the dressing room and Mrs. Hardy said I needn't wait up because she'd be late."

"The guests were all gone at half past eleven?"

"Oh, yes; most of them went before that. They were leaving from ten-thirty on."

Threads of Evidence.

"Where was the dressing room, Imogene?"

She responded with a melting glance to Walter's use of her name. "At the back of the reception hall on the first floor. It opens off the ballroom and there's a door to the terrace at the back of the house."

"I see. And your room?"

"On the third floor. It's on the same side of the house. Jane was supposed to sleep there last night too, but she didn't show up," the girl tossed off.

"Jane?"

"The Baroness' maid." Bim thought she detected a bit of malice in the girl's tone.

"Thanks very much, Imogene. You may go now."

She gave Reynolds another twinkle, smiled and fluttered her lashes at Walter, and flounced out. It was after the door had closed upon her that Walter turned to Emily Hardy.

"I didn't see Jane last night."

"Say," boomed Em, "I clean forgot her! What do you suppose she was doing out of her room? I'll find out—"

"Never mind," he cut in quickly. "Let's talk with Jane."

(To Be Continued Monday)

Mrs. Oliver Danvers, of Dixon avenue, was hostess at her residence on Thursday afternoon to a number of friends. A social period was enjoyed, and a lunch was served the group of guests, which included the following: Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. George Lange and son "Buddy," Mrs. H. Wagner, Mrs. Thomas Kenney, Mrs. H. Zoble and daughter Margaret, Mrs. J. Oliver Bowers.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter, Jr., in Jenkintown, on Sunday. The mother and baby are both doing well.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Newport Road Community Chapel will quilt at the home of Mrs. Charles Carter, Newport Road, tomorrow afternoon.

The men of the chapel will gather at that edifice tomorrow evening.

The Washington's Birthday party staged by the boys' club of the Newport Road Community Chapel on Saturday evening was a success. The boys are very grateful for the assistance given, especially by Mrs. Charles Carter, Sr., who helped the lads in the kitchen.

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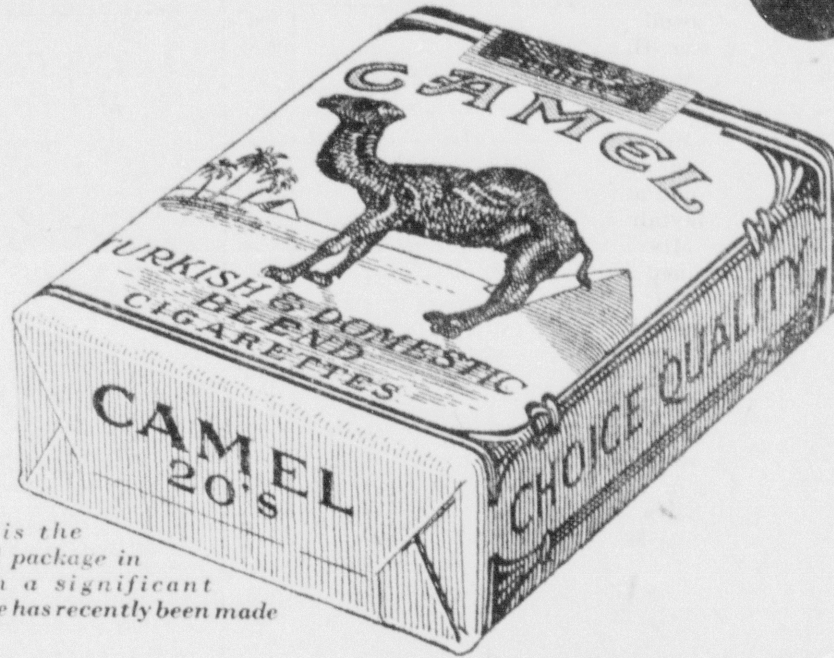
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## Chicken Thief Goes Back To Eastern Penitentiary

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after another on the witness stand yesterday, all of which were apparent falsehoods. He said that he was 58 years old and was a commission farmer by occupation.

"I have been buying and selling anything I get hold of for the past nine years with the exception of four years that I was in the Eastern Penitentiary on a false charge," Johnson testified.

He denied that he was any other place but the Salvation Army Hotel on October 24, last year, when he is alleged to have stolen chickens from Elias F. Swartley. He said that he was playing checkers that day and night in a tournament.

"It takes a pretty good player to beat me and they invited outside players to the hotel to play with me," Johnson said. The head of a great Philadelphia department store and other prominent men were playing in the game that night.

"I have not been in Bucks county once since I left five years ago with one exception and that was when I went to Doylestown last November to see about my cemetery lot and an insurance policy in a local bank."

Johnson testified that on the night of December 8 when he is charged with stealing at the Koch farm, he drove to Willow Grove and bought some shoestrings, then returned to Philadelphia and was in bed by 5 o'clock.

Describing his arrest on Broad Street, Philadelphia, Johnson stated that he was struck in the pit of the stomach by an officer, whom he said "was the first fellow that ever got away with that stuff."

Asked to explain the meaning of the various tools found in his car, Johnson said that he used the oyster knife to kill turkeys that he sold in the sale of chickens to a Jewish Rabbi in Philadelphia.

"I took live chickens to the Jewish Rabbi and the Rabbi struck them himself with this oyster knife and then I packed them for him," Johnson explained.

The witness, when questioned as to his wealth, told the Court that "the politicians had robbed him of everything that he had," but later made another statement that he had enough means to the extent that he did not have to work any more.

He testified that he used the shoestrings found in his car for killing turkeys, and also charged one of the officers with taking a \$12 pair of shoes from him.

Johnson told the Court that while in the Eastern Penitentiary they took four quarts of blood from him for experiment simply because he was a prisoner there, and that as a result he became stone blind for a time.

When questioned as to why he bought brown shoestrings for black shoes at the Willow Grove store the night of the Koch theft, Johnson said, "I'm not stylish at all, brown strings were as good as the black ones."

The trial ended when Johnson said that he talked with Assistant District Attorney J. Leslie Kilcoyne in the office of the State Police detail in Doylestown the night of his arrest when the prosecuting attorney said,

"Well, we can hold him on suspicion anyway."

Called in rebuttal, Mr. Kilcoyne testified that he never saw Johnson until he came into court yesterday and in addition to that had never been in the State Police sub-station at Doylestown.

Recalled to the stand Johnson then said: "Yes, I guess it was another fellow with black hair."

## New Scoutmaster Takes Over Members of Troop No. 2

A successful meeting was conducted last evening by Troop 2, Boy Scouts, the entire membership being present.

The new officials who were appointed last week, took over their duties last evening. Those present included 20 members, and 11 recruits who were anxious to pass their tests.

Scoutmaster David Neill spoke to the boys about the competitive games which are to be held within the next few weeks. Troop two has won the district championship for the last two years, and is preparing to give competition to any troop in this district.

Inspection followed the opening ceremony, inspection being in charge of two Scouts who have been transferred to the Seascouts, George Herman and Joseph Britton.

In the course of the meeting, Mr. Healey was introduced as the new Scoutmaster. Mr. Neill now taking over a commission. The new Scoutmaster gave the boys a talk on Washington, the first president of the United States. A silent prayer in honor of Washington's memory took place. The new officials received their badges from Mr. Spencer, chairman of the troop committee.

## CROYDON

Croydon Council No. 5 of the O. of I. A. had a very interesting meeting on Friday night at the Croydon fire house. The long ritual was used at the initiation ceremonies, and the 12th member was admitted since the opening of the lodge year. Seven members are waiting initiation, and Croydon Council is in the race for the prize offered for the largest percentage of

increase in membership. The council will hold a card and bingo party, Saturday night, March 7th, at the fire house. The proceeds will help to swell the funds in the Croydon Welfare Association for the unemployed. Many beautiful prizes will be given the highest numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Batholoma entertained Mr. Batholoma's brother and family over the week-end. On Wednesday they motored to Philadelphia.

## Advanced Refrigeration



Continually working for the advancement of domestic electric refrigeration, engineers of Frigidaire Corporation have made it possible for this General Motors subsidiary this year to present a household refrigerator with many refinements and improvements, according to an announcement by the local representative. Economy, efficiency and beauty have been the guiding stars of these engineers and as a result the Frigidaire of today operates at much lower cost, freezes more ice cubes faster, has an interior and exterior finish of durable white porcelain-on-steel and provides more shelf space than before.

## Helpful Advice to Girls

By NANCY LEE

DEAR NANCY LEE:

I don't know how to write to ask you what I want to know.

I am 21 years old and have a very good position, making good money for a girl. I am on my vacation right now and will not go back to work until the company I work for notifies me.

My life's ambition is and always has been to be an actress. I cannot do any fancy dancing, but I think I could act if only I were given half a chance. I would like

to be a comedian, all of my friends whom I know well enough to show them my real self tell me I should go on the stage, but the question is how? I don't know whether you will understand me or not when I say I want to make stage work my life work, oh, I feel I could do so much.

I like the job I have but there is something missing. I just can't feel satisfied with life the way it is now. Gee, I am so discouraged. Won't you please help me? What should I do?

L. E. B.: It is my pleasure to know several quite famous actresses and most of them have the same story to tell. It is a story of hard work, grueling, grinding work, in order to make the grade. Many famous stars began in stock. Other actresses have done chorus work for the chorus teachers department and stage craft better than any school ever could. If you have set your mind on the stage, find a stock company and try to persuade the management to engage you. But be prepared to go through with the arduous tasks stage work entails.

## A "Big" Business Man and the Elevator Boy

—One of Them Had Something to Hide

In This Case a Gruff, Boorish Manner, Adopted as a Defense, Revealed an Inferiority That All the "Front" in the World Couldn't Conceal.

By WINIFRED BLACK.

"GOOD-MORNING," said the elevator boy, cheerfully. "Good-morning, Mr. Smith, how are you this morning?"

Mr. Smith turned his round bullet head grudgingly on his thick bullneck and glared at the elevator boy.

"How am I this morning?" he mimicked, then he growled, "Who wants to know—the cook!"

The elevator boy's cheerful face turned crimson.

He squared his boyish shoulders, straightened up and did his best to laugh.

"No," he said, "not the cook, if she cook wanted to know you'd tell him mighty quick, I guess."

It was Mr. Smith's turn to turn red and he did it.

"My floor," he growled, and soon the elevator was rid of Mr. Smith.

Now I happen to know that elevator boy.

He's a good boy, and an honest boy, and a hard-working boy, and a clean-minded, clean-bodied boy.

He'd like to be in high-school but he can't take care of his mother and his little sister and go to high school at the same time, so he was very glad to get the job as elevator boy in the big office building where the big business men have their places of business.

On the day the elevator boy got his job, he told me his plans.

"Gee, I'm lucky!" said the elevator boy, and a hard-working boy, and a smarter than I am out of jobs, and here I walk right into this one just as easy. Pretty good money, too, for a beginning, and as sure as the railroad time table.

"And look at the chance I have to

see all these men that have got ahead in the world; I'm going to watch them and act like them and I'll be real polite and pleasant, and maybe one of them might take a fancy to me, and give me a chance some day, who knows?"

"Who knows," said I.

"Why of course," said the elevator boy's mother, "Jim's such a good-natured fellow, nobody could help liking him."

"Now I can get little sister a winter coat and everything."

The elevator boy's mother was smiling proudly but there were tears in her eyes—I don't know why. Somehow this morning when Mr. Smith was so infuriated at the idea of a mere elevator boy daring to ask him—the Great and only Smith—how he was, I remembered the elevator boy's mother and was glad she was not there to see the Great and Glorious Smith glare at the boy who is the pride of her heart, and the hope of her sad life.

I wonder who Smith is anyhow, that he should feel so great.

Nobody much, be sure of that. And he knows it, and that's why he is sensitive about elevator boys, waiters, and taxi drivers.

He's afraid they'll recognize him for what he is, and that makes him ill at ease.

Poor man, I wish he could have seen the owner of the building get in on a floor further up.

The owner of the building is a young man born to wealth, and born to power, and born to a name famous in business and out of it.

The owner grinned at the elevator boy.

"Hello, Son!" he said. "How's the elevator business this morning?"

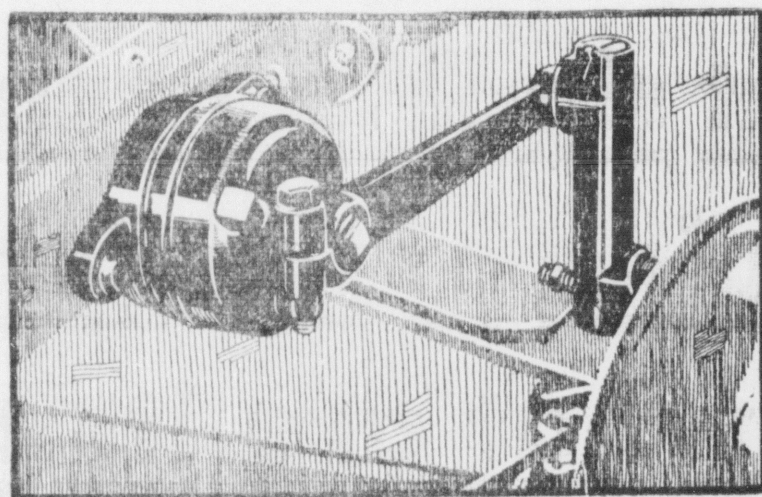
And the elevator boy's clear blue eyes lit with a gleaming smile.

"Fine," said the elevator boy.

I keep thinking of those two men all day and wondering if Mr. Smith has the faintest idea of the secrets that he told about himself and his father and his mother and the place he was born—just in that little ride up three stories in the elevator.

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## FORD COMFORT



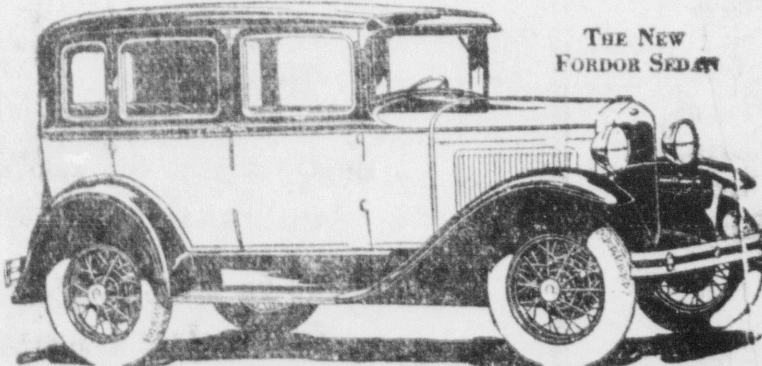
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ONE of the fine things about driving the new Ford is the way it takes you over the miles without strain or fatigue. No matter how long the trip, you know it will bring you safely, quickly, comfortably to the journey's end.

The seats are generously wide, deeply cushioned and carefully designed to conform to the curves of the body. Every new Ford has specially designed springs and four Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers. These work both ways—up and down. They absorb the force of road shocks and also provide a cushion against the rebound of the springs.

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## Work Where You Live and Live Where You Work.

If you are employed in Bristol you should live here. It will be less expensive and there are numerous other advantages derived from making your home in the town where you are employed.

You will save many hours a year which are now spent in traveling and you will have more time with your family.

The saving in money will also be considerable. Add to that which you are now paying for rent the amount which you spend in traveling back and forth to your employment here. You'll be surprised at the total. Rent a house here at a moderate rental and bank the difference.

## Houses.

Comfortable dwellings, well situated and at moderate rents are to be found in that portion of Bristol which is immediately adjacent to the P. R. R. passenger station.

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## Conveniences.

They are heated by hot-air furnaces with a direct pipe leading to every room. They are lighted with electricity and are equipped with sewer, municipal water and gas.

Each room is well lighted and yet the space devoted to windows is not excessive.

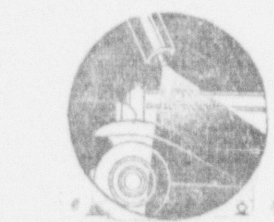
Front porches are another attractive feature as is also a small rear yard where children can play in safety away from the perils of traffic.

Houses such as these would rent for considerably more in any city, where the conveniences would not surpass those offered here.

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## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. : : :

### Events for Tonight

Address on "Mexico" by Miss Ellen Starr Brinton, Travel Club Home, 3 p. m.  
Cafeteria supper, served by Ladies' Aid, in Emilie M. E. Church.

### VISITING HERE

Eugene Barrett, of Philadelphia, was visiting relatives and friends in Bristol on Monday.

Felmer Goslin, who is a student at the Harrisburg Academy for Boys, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Goslin, of 607 Radcliffe street.

Miss Mary Barnes, of Trenton, was a Monday guest of Mrs. Carrie Headley, of Washington and Wood streets.

Mrs. Lewis Walton, of Andalusia, spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week visiting Miss Elizabeth Rue, of 210 Jefferson avenue.

Frank Kennedy, Jr., of Coatesville, is paying a lengthy visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, of 715 Garden street.

James Weiss, of the U. S. S. Florida, stationed at the Navy Yard in Philadelphia, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weiss, of Spring street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barber and daughter, Alberta, of South Amboy, N. J., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shire, of West Circle, from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferraro, of Philadelphia, passed the week-end visiting Mrs. Ferraro's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. G. Greco, of Jefferson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Cox, of Philadelphia, were Monday dinner guests at the home of Mr. Cox's mother, Mrs. Frehe, of Beaver street.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony DeMarco and family, of Tacony, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Cucceare, 408 Dorrance street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barbank and daughter, Dorothy, of Mount Holly, N. J., were guests of Mrs. Barbank's mother, Mrs. Marie Gratz, of Taff street, from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Hoffman, of Media, Pa., spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Fite, of Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Lawrence, of Bloomsfield, N. J., spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Lawrence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gosline, of Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dodson and daughter, Louise, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Mrs. Dodson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weiss, of Spring street.

Mrs. George Stanley and daughter, Agnes, of Edgely, spent Saturday visiting Mrs. Stanley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, of Garden street.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams, of Phil-

adelphia, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, of 626 Beaver street.

Miss Mame Jones, of Philadelphia, passed the week-end at the home of Mrs. Minnie Bevan, of 129 Dorrance street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Yaussi and daughters, Annie and Elizabeth, of Bethayres, were Sunday guests of Miss Stella Mount, of New Buckley street.

Mrs. William McLaughlin and daughter, Alice, of Philadelphia, were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. McLaughlin's sister, Mrs. Margaret Murphy, of 620 Beaver street.

### VISIT HERE

Mrs. Grace Price, of Trenton, N. J., and Mrs. Harry Arnel, of Yardley, were visitors during this week of Mrs. Harry M. Arnold, of 311 Radcliffe street.

Jack Waters, who is a member of the United States Navy, now stationed at Philadelphia Navy Yard, will pass the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Waters, of Buckley street.

Fred Stephenson, of Trenton, N. J., spent the week-end in Bristol, visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Neill, who resides with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Neill, of 1013 Pond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holsneck and family, of Elizabeth, N. J., passed the week-end with Mrs. Holsneck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holsneck, of Otter street.

Mrs. A. W. Dodson, of West Bristol, was a Tuesday guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchener, of Swain street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mershon, of 200 Otter street, have as their guest for several days, Mrs. Mershon's father, Thomas Bradford, of Fallsington.

Mrs. Grace Price and Mrs. Samuel Davies, of Trenton, N. J., and Mrs. Harry Arnel, of Yardley, will be luncheon guests on Thursday, of Mrs. Walter Mundhenk, of Mill and Pond streets.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Savitz, of Germantown, were visitors over the week-end of Mrs. Savitz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weissblatt, of Jefferson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford, of Fallsington, were Saturday guests of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mershon, of 200 Otter street.

Mrs. McCarron and daughter, Miss Alice McCarron, and son, Paul, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the week-end and Monday, at the home of Miss Mary Doyle, of Otter and Linden streets.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of 158 Otter street, entertained on Sunday their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. David Martin and daughter, Miss Esther Martin, of Matheawan, N. J.; Mrs. Cora Vogt and son, Charles, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son, Heston, of Pennington, N. J. Sunday having been the birthday anniversary of Mr. Smith, the host, a birthday anniversary dinner was given him.

### BRISTOLIANS AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wallace and son, Edward, Jr., and daughter, Thelma, of Cedar street, were visiting relatives in Mount Holly, N. J., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and Mrs. Henry Elmer, of Garden street, and Mrs. Thomas Argust, Jr., of Washington street, recently attended the funeral of Mr. Kennedy's sister-in-law, Mrs. Stewart Kennedy, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Howard Walton and Mrs. Ellen States, of Cornwells Heights, are visiting relatives in Vineland this week.

Misses Rachael and Stella Ciancioli, of Grand avenue, were recent overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferraro, of Philadelphia.

Willet Kennedy, of Garden street, is paying a lengthy visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams and son, Roy, of Wilson avenue, were Sunday evening guests of friends in Trenton.

Miss Dorothy Roe, of Buckley street, and Mr. Sidney Trott, of Wilson avenue, spent Sunday in Atlantic City visiting Mr. Trott's mother.

Mrs. John Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elmhurst, of Radcliffe street, and Miss Helen McLaughlin, of Edgely, motored to Atlantic City on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams and son, Roy, of Wilson avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Howard Walton, and Mrs. Horace States, of Cornwells Heights, were recent guests of relatives in Flemington, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Greco and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bono and family, Miss Anna Ferraro, Andrew Accardi and daughters, Pauline and Fannie, of Jefferson avenue, Misses Rachael and Stella Ciancioli, of Grand avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Ferraro, Miss Anna Ferraro, Miss Rose Genualdi and Nick Ferraro, all of Dorrance street, were the folks from Bristol, who recently attended a birthday surprise party given in honor of Mr. John Ferraro at his home in Philadelphia, formerly of Bristol.

Miss Mary Conley, of Wilson avenue, was the guest of Miss Madeline McCue, of Philadelphia, over Saturday and Sunday. On Monday Misses Conley and McCue, accompanied by friends, motored to Atlantic City and enjoyed the day.

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Mrs. J. L. Puschman, of 631 Race street, was a Saturday guest of Mrs. Mary Maugher, of Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of 158 Otter street, spent Monday in Pennington, N. J., visiting Mr. Smith's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith.

Miss Sara Silbert, of 117 Radcliffe street; Mrs. Fred Bux, Jr., of

Maple Beach; Mrs. Walter Mundhenk, of Mill and Pond streets, and Mrs. Harry M. Arnold, of 311 Radcliffe street, spent today visiting in Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Moore, of 324 Taff street, will be visitors during this week of relatives in Collingdale and Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Downs, of 1007 Radcliffe street, will entertain at cards, at her home, on Saturday evening. This is third of a series of parties given this season by Mrs. Downs.

**TENDERED BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY PARTY**  
Mrs. Ellis E. Ratcliffe, of 342 Jefferson avenue, was tendered a birthday anniversary party by the members of her bridge club at the home of Mrs. Harry M. Arnold, of 311 Radcliffe street, one of the members of the club, on Monday afternoon.

**BIRTH**  
Mr. and Mrs. James Waters, of 619 Radcliffe street, are rejoicing over the birth of a son on Friday.

**ILL**  
Mrs. Marie Gratz, of Taff street, is able to be out again after being confined to her home for four weeks with grippe.

John Murphy, of 630 Beaver street, was confined to his home by illness several days this week.

Miss Katharine Waters, of Buckley street, has been ill at her home for the past few days.

George Romig, of Walnut street, is suffering with a sprained back.

## EMILIE

Miss Eva Stephen, the Misses Elsie and Anne Ettinger were Sunday callers of Miss Lillie Wilson.

E. H. Shoemaker recently called among several friends in Bensalem.

Isaac Watson, of Morrisville, was a guest on Sunday of Warren Bruce at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris had as dinner guests, Sunday evening, Mrs. Cora Wood, Miss Beanie Mayer, Harry Webster, of Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. James Mayberry and son, James, of Tullytown.

Mrs. Isabelle Hall was a recent visitor in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rockhill and family attended the funeral of Mr. Rockhill's brother-in-law, Walter Clarke, of Crosswicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox had as callers on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Booz and daughters, Margery and Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence T. Blinn and daughter, June, were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blinn.

### TULLYTOWN

Miss Carmel Paroli, of Main street, has returned to her home after spending a week at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Miss Gladys Baker, of Main street, has been confined to her home on account of illness.

## Helen Moody Defends The Athletic Girl!

—Not Unattractive, She Says.

**Tennis Queen Disagrees With Salvation Army Official That the Sports Girl is "Steel-Muscled, Flat-Chested" and Lacking in Charm.**

By WINIFRED BLACK.

"STEEL-MUSCLED, flat-breasted women," "Flat, flabby figures." Which do you choose?

Victoria Booth Demarest, of the Salvation Army, says the modern girl is not only bold and vulgar, and coarse, and hard, but she's ugly and unattractive.

Mrs. Demarest made a speech in New York the other day, and my my, the things she said about the modern girl!

Mrs. Demarest does not like the morals or the manners of the modern girl, and most interesting of all she does not like the looks of the modern girl.

Mrs. Demarest thinks that the athletic girl of today would look very well as a man, but as a woman she is what some light-minded persons might be tempted to call a "total loss."

Helen Willis Moody, of San Francisco, heard the challenge of Mrs. Demarest and sprang to the rescue. "I see nothing attractive in fat, flabby figures," said Mrs. Moody. "Girls are far better playing vigorous outdoor sports than sitting indoors in the movies or at a bridge table all the afternoon. I don't recall anyone in the tennis world who is particularly unattractive."

And that is what you might call a rather clever side-sweep, for Mrs. Willis Moody, herself a champion tennis player of the world, is neither fat nor flabby, and she is in her own fine wholesome way, a raving, tearing, stunning beauty.

But after all there is a little bit of something in what Mrs. Demarest says about the steel-muscled, flat-breasted woman, isn't there?

"These Channel swimming, marathon running amazons are not to my taste," says Mrs. Demarest. "Men do not admire masculine women."

Tut tut, now Mrs. Demarest—this from you!

And you carrying the banner of a creed that certainly does not preach the glorification of sex.

What difference does it make what men admire. Worldly things that they are with their minds set on eating and drinking and er—well, such a lot of things that should not concern those whose minds are set upon what is sometimes called the "Higher Life."

Now I could well imagine a director for the moving pictures or a stage manager for the Follies thinking to himself:

"That girl is too mannish, no Johnny will ever buy her a box of roses or himself an aisle seat for the season on her account."

But for one who seeks to call sinners from the Primrose Path— isn't it really un—er—just a trifle out of character, that sort of criticism—eh, what!

Bones, fetlocks, shanks, and shoulder blades, what are they in the eyes of the truly moral?

Maybe the athletic girls are not as engaging to the male eye, as the feminine type—but dear me what a shock it is to hear the Dove raise her voice with the wisdom of the Serpent?

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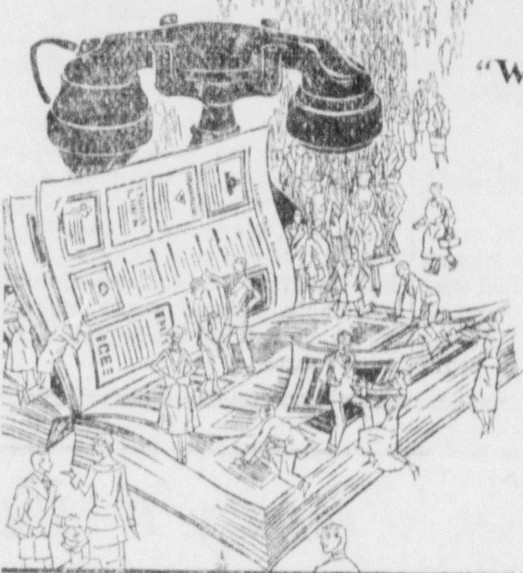
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RESTAURANT, established business, excellent location. Just the thing for a man and wife. Price \$1500. For detailed information apply to Eastburn, Blanche & Hardy. 2-25-31

BRICK HOUSE, 190 McKinley street, six rooms and bath, repainted inside and out, price reasonable; stucco house, 1624 Trenton avenue, six rooms and bath, repainted inside and out, at a bargain; eight rooms and bath, Garfield and Hayes streets, \$2200, up; also other four- and six-room houses. Can finance. Spritz, 1931 Wilson avenue. 6-20-31

TWO-CAR GARAGE, \$10; also kitchen cabinet, range and enamel sink. Act quickly, 254 Roosevelt street. Phone 187. 2-24-31

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CORNER STORE, suitable for barber shop. Rent moderate. Inquire Courier office. 1-26-31

### MISCELLANEOUS

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HARRIMAN BUILDING ASSOCIATION—New series, double and single payment plan, Tuesday, March 3, 1931. The Bristol pioneer in double payment plan stock. Paid in cash on double shares in 1930 over \$40,000 to stockholders. Is growing to be one of the most useful associations to Bristol home owners. Subscribe with any of the following: Minot J. Hill, president; Louis C. Spring, vice-president; William H. H. Fine, treasurer; Horace N. Davis, secretary; Russell B. Carty, Howard L. James, J. L. Hellman, Richard J. Howard, directors. 2-18-31

### WANTED

BENCH ENGINE LATHE, about nine-inch swing, three-foot bed. Must be in good condition. Phone Bristol 295-R-5, after 5:30 p. m. 2-19-31

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### DIED

SMITH—At Edgely, Pa., February 24, 1931, Jane H., wife of the late William Smith, in her 83rd year. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral service from the residence of her son, Riverview avenue, Edgely, Pa., Friday, February 27th, at 2 p. m. Interment in Tullytown Cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening. 2-25-31

HASSENPLUG—At Bridgewater, Pa., February 23, 1931, Ada, daughter of the late William H. and Anna Hassenplug. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Thursday, February 25, 1931, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, Bridgewater, Bucks County. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening. 2-25-31

PETERS—At Bristol, Pa., February 24, 1931, William B. Peters. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, Friday, February 27th, at 2 p. m., from the residence of his brother-in-law, William E. Hendrickson, 419 Jefferson avenue. Interment in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening. 2-25-31

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## SPORTS

### Langhorne Splits Double Cage Contest

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the leaders while Pirolli and Rodgers led the defense.

"Jimmy" Lake and "Eddie" Roe went on another scoring spree in the main event of the evening and scored enough points to down the same Langhorne team. Roe and Lake scored twelve points each.

Brown and Packard were again high scorers for their side with twelve and ten points, respectively.

The line-ups:

Tullytown A. C.	Pd.	G.	Pl.	G.	Pts.
Moon f	1	1	3		
Lake f	6	0	12		
Carman f	2	0	4		
Roberts c	0	0	0		
Rodgers g	2	1	5		
Roe g	5	2	12		
	16	4	36		

Langhorne	Pd.	G.	Pl.	G.	Pts.
Hibbs f	1	3	5		
Brown f	6	0	12		
Townsend c	0	0	0		
P. Bond c	0	0	0		
Cox g	0	0	0		
L. Bond g	0	0	0		
Packard g	4	2	10		
	11	5	27		

Referee: Stradling.  
Scorer: Gilardi.

Tullytown Reserves	Pd.	G.	Pl.	G.	Pts.
Carlen f	4	0	8		
Dugan f	2	1	5		
Ennis c	3	0	6		
Stake g	0	0	0		
Lake g	5	0	10		
Pirolli g	0	1	1		
Roberts g	1	0	2		
Rodgers g	0	0	0		
	15	2	33		

Langhorne	Pd.	G.	Pl.	G.	Pts.
Packard f	11	5	27		
Brown f	2	0	4		
Brunner g	0	0	0		
P. Bond c	1	0	2		
L. Bond g	0	0	0		
Cox g	0	0	0		
Hibbs g	0	0	0		
	14	5	28		

Referee: Dugan.  
Scorer: Gilardi.

### Quest for Jurors in Prophet Case Goes Forward

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twisted her platinum wedding ring about her finger.

An occasional slight shudder passed over her frame. It was not until the afternoon session of the trial was well under way that she became calm enough to become genuinely attentive to the proceedings. After the first uncertainty she was able to talk for occasional moments with her attorneys, Bossard and Samuel Moyerman.

It was evident that something far beyond the trial, and the jeopardy of her life, was weighing down upon her. And at the noon recess she made it known. It was her children: Ruth Doris Ford, the ten-year-old daughter of whom the slain man was not the father; Warren Prophet, 7, and William, Jr., 5.

The black of her short silk dress formed a contrasting background to her unrouged features when she spoke to her attorneys of this.

"I only wish my mother and children had not been brought into this," she said. "I would rather anything happened to me rather than bringing my children into court. I can't bear them to remember this all their lives."

There was a hastened reassurance of Bossard. Her children will not be brought into court by him. What the prosecution intends is another matter. Assistant District Attorney Kelley has his usual witnesses, and others, he says, who are being held in the background.

Although he has not announced his intention concerning the children, he said that he has witnesses whom he intends to use in rebuttal against any attempt to blacken the character of the slain man.

Otherwise Mrs. Prophet was confident.

"I feel everything will turn out all right," she said. "When I have told my story the Court will understand. Harold didn't get a chance to talk and for that reason I can't see how his verdict was just."

### NEWPORTVILLE

The Newportville Church will hold a prayer meeting Thursday evening in the church.

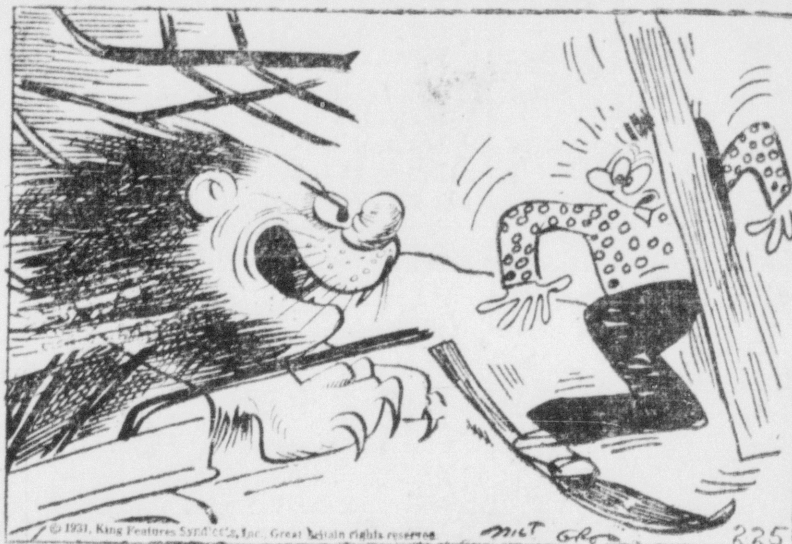
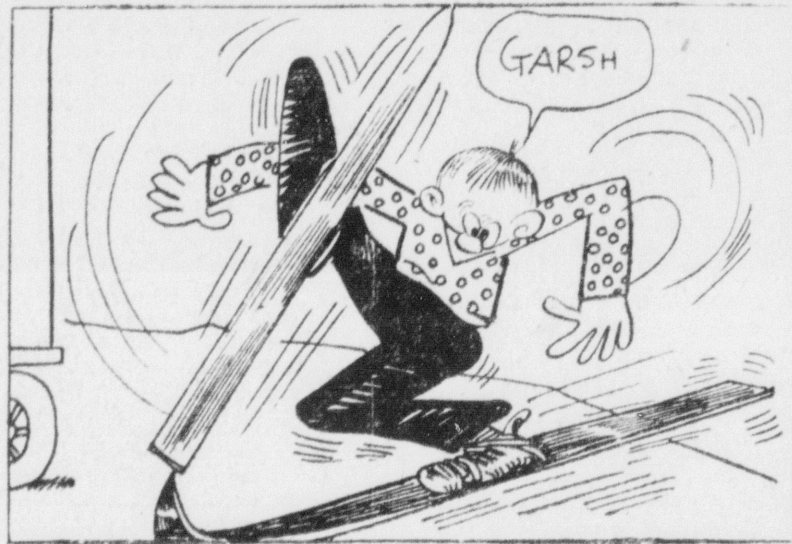
Miss Florence Workman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Workman, was married to George Bowring, of London, England, February 11th, in Doylestown. Miss Mabel Workman was present. Mr. and Mrs. Bowring will reside in Trenton, N. J.

Daniel Potter has been ill at his home for the past week.

### Believes 1931 Will Be A Good Business Year

More than ever convinced that 1931 will be a good business year for those who are determined to make it so C. W. Winter, local Frigidaire dealer, has returned from a spring business conference at Philadelphia, where various

## Draw Your Own Conclusion



topics relating to his business were discussed by factory representatives from Dayton, Ohio.

"Compared with certain other sections of the United States, conditions in this territory are very good, and as a result we are expecting to sell many more Frigidaire during 1931 than we did last year, which was an exceptionally good one," Mr. Winter said.

"Now that we are coming out of the doldrums that followed the deflation period, people are thinking more sensibly and are putting health ahead of wealth. The electric refrigerator has become more and more a necessity, now that there are more than 2,500,000 in use and people everywhere are becoming better acquainted with its advantages.

"At the meeting I attended it was brought out very forcefully that a Frigidaire will soon pay for itself out of the savings it makes possible through quantity buying, taking advantage of special lot food prices and the elimination of waste and spoilage."

### Phila. Flower Show To Exceed Previous Exhibits

With the first lady of the land confidently expected as the principal guest of honor, with Mrs. Henry Ford and Governor Gifford Pinchot on hand at the opening, the 1931 Annual Spring Flower Show is scheduled to begin

Monday, March 16th, at the Commercial Museum, 34th and Spruce streets, Philadelphia.

\$20,000 in cash and other prizes will be awarded exhibitors in the various divisions.

Listings already received, nearly a month in advance of the opening, indicate exhibits likely to surpass anything that Philadelphia has ever seen. Not only will the showings of commercial houses be more numerous and more elaborate, but there will be many magnificent exhibits from the conservatories of private estates surrounding Philadelphia.

Just before the opening of the show, March 16th, it is planned that the officers of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society shall entertain Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. Ford, Governor Pinchot and a number of other distinguished guests at luncheon. After the luncheon, the officers of the society and their guests will attend the formal opening of the show, which will continue all the week, until Saturday night, March 21st.

Many special events will feature the activities of the week. Following the official opening of the show on Monday, which will be known as Pennsylvania Day, a special St. Patrick's Day Program has been arranged for Tuesday, the 17th. The balance of the week will include many novel innovations of which will be made public in the near future.

### Former Governor Stokes Writes On Economic Subject

Edward C. Stokes, former Governor of New Jersey, and who addressed the annual meeting of the Bucks County Bankers Association, held here Monday in the Methodist Church, writes as follows today in the Trenton State Gazette:

There is a tremendous amount of cackling about economic subjects that has no foundation in fact. The old story of the farmer who said when a hen cackled he wanted to know whether she was laying or lying, applies with equal force to most economic writers. They express their wishes or half-baked opinions without ever investigating the subject thoroughly enough to be accurate or tell the truth.

A vast deal of propaganda has been circulated to the effect that the use of improved machinery throws men out of employment and consequently we have a non-employment problem on our hands. People accept this view without ever testing its accuracy or thinking that possibly—a fact that is true—that improved machinery may open new avenues of employment faster than it reduces the number of necessary workmen in any particular line. Now for the facts proven by statistics from the United States Census.

(1) Introduction of improved ma-

chinery not only does not lessen employment, but increases it.

(2) During the last thirty years of machinery development employment in factories and industrial enterprises has increased 16% faster than the population.

(3) Under this new order of things the amount of wages per worker has increased three times or 200%.

These are the facts. Let the truth be known. "The machine age has increased employment, increased wages, made work easier, saved life and limb and enabled the working man to live in comfort and luxury unknown to any man on earth when some of us were born" and enjoy comfort and luxuries which neither George Washington or King George III, ever dreamed of.

### Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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distance below Parkland. The body, wrapped in a blanket, had evidently been dropped from an automobile.

The body was found by John Moore, a signal inspector in the employ of the Reading Railroad. He notified Dr. John J. Sweeney, of Doylestown, Bucks County coroner, who had the body removed to a morgue. Authorities claim the baby was a few days old and had evidently died of natural causes.

Corporal Paul Wagner, of the Langhorne State Police, is making an investigation.

To better acquaint the youth of the community with the various occupations, trades and professions represented in the community with a view to assisting them in selecting a life work when they leave school, leaders of the Doylestown Catholic Church Boy Scout Troop No. 4, at the weekly meetings of the troop, have secured

a number of local business and professional men to give short talks to the Scouts.

Last night the Scouts of Troop 4 met in the Recreation Center, Doylestown, under the leadership of Otto Stangle and Anthony A. Beshel. Visitors included Dr. McDermott and Edward Neis, of the Troop Committee.

Six hundred persons attended the 5th anniversary program of Quakerstown Band held in the Quakerstown High School auditorium when Howard E. Shive directed the musicians in one of the best rendered programs heard locally for years.

A new number, "Evening On the Swamp Creek," composed by the director of the band, brought forth ap-

plause. Last year Director Shive also presented a number of his own compositions.

Soloists were Allen Grant, Trombone, Quakerstown, and Earl Hetter, cornetist, Allentown. The several numbers of both band and soloists demanded frequent encores.

Sunday morning the band and reunion association members attended services in the First Reformed Church at which time the pastor, Rev. H. Jerome Leinbach, delivered the sermon, and the choir rendered special numbers under the direction of Charles Muehlhauser, choir director.

The reunion association elected William Mininger, president; Monroe B. Dill, secretary, and Andrew Hoffman, treasurer.

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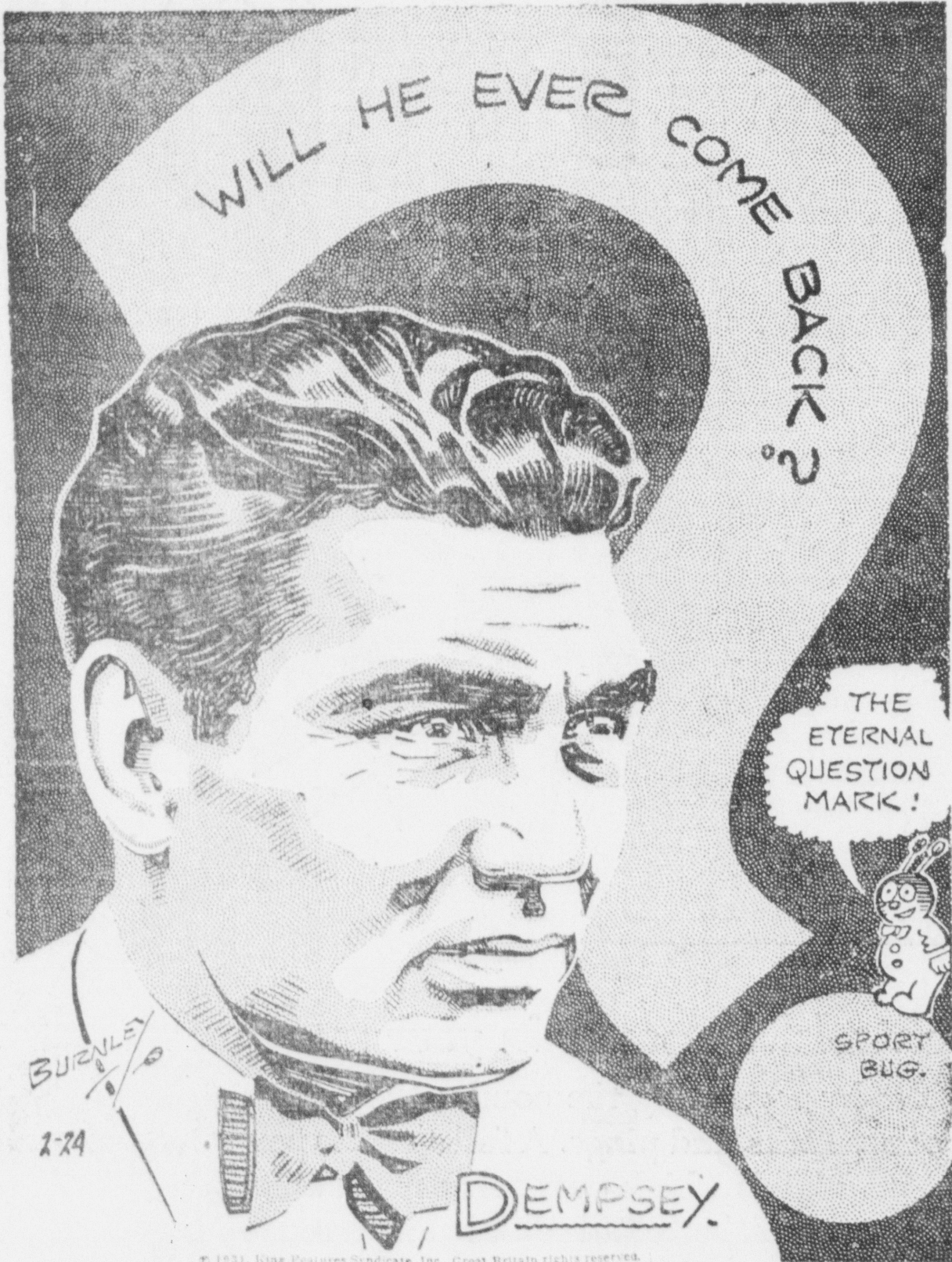
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## The Fancy's Favorite

By HARDIN BURNLEY



IN THE HISTORY of the world is an epigram attributed to Napoleon and a popular vote of the fans (and quite appropriately called "the fancy" in England) probably would elect Jack Dempsey heavyweight champion of the world, despite those Tunney defeats and his long retirement from the ring.

Yep, most of the fancy still fancy the magnetic Dempsey as the so-called "man-killer" of yore, Jack's spell is even greater than that of Jim Jeffries when he came back after five years of ease to meet his only defeat at the highly skilled hands of Jack Johnson, then in his fistic prime.

Dempsey is unlikely to meet Jeff's fate. In the first place he's prospering as a touring referee and his ever growing interest in boxing promotion is adding steadily to the fortune he made in the ring during the million dollar gate era of, say, Coolidge and Rickard.

Then, too, Jack is an intelligent chap who realizes that time has taken much of the drive from his legs and exacted other of the usual tolls. He keeps in excellent condition for a civilian of 35 years but a championship fighting physique probably would be beyond his hardest and best training efforts. So, unless Jack goes broke in the rather near future, fans never

again will see his scuffling feet, beetling brow and battle scowl before the gong is sounded. He'll keep on gracing the ring as a referee and, despite certain critics, he's good in that role.

How the fans miss Dempsey tearing into, say, Primo Carnera! Imagine 195-pound Jack roaring from his corner with steel fists riveting the huge body and heavy jaws of that colossal 265-pound Italian! It would be another Dempsey-Firpo epic!

How "Ol' Will" (as friends affectionately call Jack) must mourn the difference of a few years that makes such a thriller all but impossible now!